GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LAW AND JUSTICE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:644
ANSWERED ON:05.12.2003
HIGH COURT BENCH IN KARNATAKA
PUTTASWAMY GOWDA

Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up a High Court Bench of Karnataka in the northern part of the State;

(b) if so, whether the Government of Karnataka has sent any proposal to the Union Government in this regard; and

(c) if so, the present status of the proposal?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI P.C. THOMAS)

(a),(b) & (c): As no complete proposal has been received from the Government of Karnataka, in consultation with the Chief Justice of the Karnataka High Court, for establishing a Bench of the High Court in North Karnataka, it has not been possible for the Central Government to take a decision in the matter.